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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
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Inventor: Bradford G. Ackerman  
Serial No: 09/844,947  
Filing Date: April 27, 2001  
Title: Method for Producing Titania-  
Doped Fused Silica Glass

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Applicant hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Appeals from the Office Action dated January 25, 2005 and the Advisory Action decision dated March 29, 2005 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 4 - 9, 13, 15, 20, 21, 23 and 24.

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